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Please accept the following response to the Office Action mailed October 23, 2001.



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For:

ESTROGENIC ESTRA-1,3,5(10)-TRIENES WITH
DIFFERENTIAL EFFECTS ON THE ALPHA AND BETA
ESTROGEN RECEPTORS, HAVING A LINEAR HYDROCARBON
CHAIN OF FROM 5-9 CARBON ATOMS AT POSITION 11

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 23, 2001,
Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and
remarks.

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